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WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

LAKE CHARLES DIVISION

JOYCE R. FORTNER

DOCKET NO. 06-0219

VS.

JUDGE MINALDI

JO ANNE B. BARNHART, COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY MAGISTRATE JUDGE WILSON

JUDGMENT

There being no objection to the proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein these findings and conclusions are accepted. Alternatively, this court concludes that the proposed findings and conclusions are entirely correct. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that plaintiff's motion for attorney's fees [doc. # 16] is hereby GRANTED, and that fees are awarded in favor of plaintiff in the amount of \$ 4,000.00.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the attorney will be reimbursed \$250.00 for court filing fees.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED in Chambers at Lake Charles, Louisiana, this 23 day

of <u>| | | arch</u>, 2007.

PATRICIA MINALDI.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE